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Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application mailed December 6, 2000, please find enclosed herewith the following items for filing in the United States Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the above-identified patent application:

- (1) a Declaration, Power of Attorney, and Petition executed by the inventors Sean Lyndersay, et al.;



- (2) an Assignment from the inventors Sean Lyndersay, et al. to Microsoft Corporation;
- (3) a copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application - Filing Date Granted;
- (4) Petition for One Month Extension of Time, including Check No. 120150 for \$110.00;
- (5) Check No. 120149 in the amount of \$170.00 to cover the filing fee for the above-identified application, the recordation fee for the enclosed patent assignment, and the surcharge fee pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.16(e). These fees have been calculated as follows:

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Dated this 6 day of MARCH, 2001.

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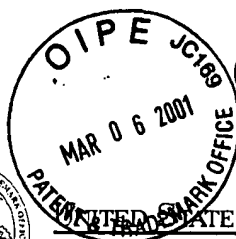
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